Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Shawn Michael Jaegers of Jefferson City, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on May 2, 2004, at St. Peter's Selinger Centre; and

Whereas, Shawn, a member of Boy Scout Troop 4, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building bookcases and cubby holes in otherwise unusable space in a fourth grade classroom at St. Peter's Catholic School; and

Whereas, during his ten years in Scouting, Shawn mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn forty-one merit badges, the Ad Altare Dei award, the Pope Pius XII award, the Arrowman Service Award, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Brave in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, Shawn demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader, Scribe, Librarian, Den Chief, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Order of the Arrow Troop Representative; and

Whereas, the son of Michael and Karen Jaegers, Shawn developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include completing Junior Leader Training, attending Camp Hohn for two years and H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation for two years, working on Summer Camp Staff for two years, and going to a National Order of the Arrow Conference; and

Whereas, Shawn's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Shawn Jaegers for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Shawn Michael Jaegers.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2058, adopted April 22, 2004.